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ASSISTANCE FROM ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK FOR POWER PROJECT IN J & K
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government of Jammu & Kashmir has sought financial assistance from the Asian Development Bank for its power projects in the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of projects proposed to be executed therefrom; and

(d) the total power generation capacity is likely to be added in the State after completion of these projects?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE)

(a) to (d) : Yes, Sir. Government of J&K have informed that two power projects, namely, New Ganderbal Multipurpose Project (93 MW) and Kirthai-I Hydroelectric Project (240 MW) have been posed by them for financial assistance to the Asian Development Bank (ADB). The details of these projects are enclosed at annexure. Besides this, Power Evacuation and Transmission systems associated with hydropower stations of Ladakh and its linkage to the Northern Grid have also been posed for ADB assistance.

The total power generation capacity likely to be added in the State after completion of these projects would be 333 MW (93 MW from Ganderbal and 240 MW from Kirthai).